

REMARKS

Claims 18-39 are pending in the present application. Claims 1-17 are herein cancelled. New Claims 18-39 are herein added. No new matter has been presented.

Allowable Claims

Claims 1, 2 and 6 were merely rejected only under 35 USC §112, second paragraph but are otherwise allowable. Also, claims 3-5 and 7-17 are rejected under 35 USC §112, second paragraph merely because these claims depend from rejected claims 2 and 6, and these are otherwise allowable.

Claims are rewritten as new claims. Claim 1 corresponds to new claim 18; claim 2 to new claim 19; and claim 6 to claim 23.

Objection to Specification

The abstract of the disclosure is objected to because it contains legal phraseology such as “means” in lines 10 and 12.

Accordingly, the Abstract has been amended to overcome this objection. Therefore, applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to withdraw this objection.

Objection to Claims

Claims 3 and 7 are objected to because of informalities.

In the amendment, the words “singing” have been amended to--swinging--.

Claims 3 and 7 have been cancelled and rewritten into 20 and 24.

Rejections under 35 USC §112, First Paragraph

The Specification is rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, first paragraph because the specification includes some unclear portions.

Accordingly, the Specification has been amended to overcome this objection. Therefore, applicants respectfully request the Examiner to withdraw this objection

Rejections under 35 USC §112, Second Paragraph

Claims 1-17 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite.

The phrase “rotatably back and forth” recited in claims 1, 2 and 6 has been amended to simply --rotatably-- in new claims 18, 19 and 23.

The phrase “a direction intersecting the end portion of the shaft” recited in line 5 of claims 2 and 6 has been amended to --a direction intersecting with the shaft-- in new claims 19 and 23.

The term “fallen” in claims 2, 3, 5, 6, and 7 has been amended to --concave-- in new claims.

All the claims are also revised and amended to make them into a better form. All claims are rewritten into new claims

New Claims

New claims 18-39 have been added.

In view of the aforementioned amendments and accompanying remarks, Applicant submits that the claims, as herein amended, are in condition for allowance. Applicant requests such action at an early date.

If the Examiner believes that this application is not now in condition for allowance, the Examiner is requested to contact Applicant's undersigned attorney to arrange for an interview to expedite the disposition of this case.

If this paper is not timely filed, Applicant respectfully petitions for an appropriate extension of time. The fees for such an extension or any other fees that may be due with respect to this paper may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

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